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# THE CUMBERLAND NURSERIES

E. B. DRAKE, Prop.

WINCHESTER, TENN. Jan. 29, 1924

## BULLETIN No. 2

We have written you and mailed you copies of our surplus lists. We are glad to report that the trees are passing the winter in very fine shape indeed. We have had it quite cold here but they are taking the ups and downs of the mercury high up on our Cumberland plateau farms, out in the open fields.

We are not mailing you today a detailed count on our surplus, it is shifting so rapidly that these counts are not worth much, as almost daily some variety is sold out. But we do want your business this spring and we especially call your attention to the good quality of our peach and apple all of which have been grown from buds and scions cut from bearing orchards. We have absolute confidence that they will measure up to the traditions of the Red Star line and prove permanently satisfactory to you.

Please note these low prices for quality stock. All we ever ask is a FAIR PRICE but we are never willing to sell for less than that.

Prices are as follows;--

APPLE per 1000	1yr 3/4ft	\$175.00	4/5ft	\$250.00	
	2yr 4/5ft	225.00	4/6ft	275.00	5/7ft \$325.00
PEACH per 1000	1yr & 1/2ft	75.00	2/3ft	125.00	3/4ft 150.00
	June Buds 3/5ft	200.00	4/6ft	250.00	5/7ft 300.00

EXCEPT the Wealthy for which we want 30c each.

Yours very truly  
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## BULLETIN No 3

"I AM GLAD YOU CAN DO SO MUCH OF MY LIST AS I GET BETTER VALUE FOR MY MONEY FROM YOUR NURSERY THAN ANYWHERE ELSE."

This is an extract from a letter received today from a Pennsylvania orchardist who has been buying our trees for a number of years.

A fair price is all that we ask, but a fair price is necessary in order that we can give our customers a fair deal. We are never willing to sell our trees for less than what we feel is the cost of production and handling at a fair profit. When we get that we are satisfied. The following schedule of prices applies for immediate acceptance.

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Special attention is called to the fact that all these trees have been wintered out of doors in the open fields and they are in fine shape although we have had the roughest winter in many years. Our customers are getting unusually fine results from the planting of our trees due in part, I think, to the fact that they are full of vitality. Where they dig them early and coddle them in a cool house for months, they are obliged to deteriorate. We had one customer last year who put out 17,000 of our peach trees and only lost 13. Of course he took good care of them we don't begin to claim all the credit.

I hope we may hear from you now by return mail with your order for anything you may care to buy of us this spring, so that the trees can be reserved for you. Orders are pouring in now daily and it is only a question of a short time when our surplus will be exhausted. We started shipping last fall with nearly a million peach trees and this is all we have left of our original large stock, but these trees are graded up fully to our usual high standard and are first-class trees in every sense of the world.

Yours very truly

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APPLE	One Year		Two Year		
	3-4ft	4-6ft	4-5ft	4-6ft	5-7ft
Bonum	200	175	135	275	184
Benoni	300	100	64		
Delicious	4187	1800	660	1050	430
Duchess	500	120	97	45	
Early Harvest	1200	800	544	195	300
Grimes Golden	4200	1400	100	275	135
Henry Clay	100	50			
Ingram	500	500	50	170	600
Jonathan	3200	1000	500	775	536
Kinnards	750	750			
Liveland	300	50			
Lowry	300	250	200	300	100
M B Twig	500	400	30	100	188
McIntosh	3500	1000	600	100	150
Rome Beauty	1700	500	300	200	175
Red Astrachan	299	199	99		
Stayman's	7999	3999	361	381	155
Smokehouse	299	251	99	75	75
Winesap	3661	1999	244	776	543
Winter Banana	300	100	50	100	
Wealthy		200			
Wilsons Red June	100	100	49	75	39
York Imperial	1199	1199	179	275	299
Yates	299	299	199	199	
Yellow Trans	599	299	41	166	

PEACH	One Year And June Buds				
	1/2ft	2/3ft	3/4ft	3/5ft	4/6ft
Arg Beauty	500	1200	275	312	150
Alexander	150	200	100	25	47
Belle	4300	4900	2475	1200	1900
Bracket		499	401	99	99
Carman	500	750	500	199	199
Chinese Cling	140	375	300	61	41
Crawfords Early	500	700	399	199	199
Crawfords Late	799	425	299	199	151
Champion	399	312	1199	412	298
Dixie Queen	152	275	212	112	414
Early Elberta	275	312	652	712	517
Early Rose	5122	623	375	222	266
ELBERTA	12121	7121	4712	2735	3456
Fox Seedling	312	212	100		
Greensboro	212	213	413		
Gordon	1112	375	513	113	113
Hearth Cling	315	213	275		
Hiley	6112	6813	2612	1888	1213
Iron Mountain	213	414	113	213	213
Knapfels	385	113	188	413	313
Madia Ross	413	414	575	188	133
Mandarin	544	334	133		
Rav	1245	1175			
Red Bird	644	157	244	144	188
Sandy	244	144	200	66	55
Sweet	544	344	375	146	246